Area	Location
DISPENSARIES	
1. Kalinga	Nehru Satabdi Nagar
2. Kalinga	Bharatpur OCP
3. Talcher	Nandira Colliery
4. Talcher	Handidhua Colliery
5. Jagannath	Central Colony
6. Jagannath	Balanda Colliery
7. Jagannath	Jagannath Colliery
8. IB Valley	Belpahar OCM
9. Orient	IB Pit(Lamtibahal)
10. Orient	Bundia Mines (Rampur)
11. MCL Hqrs.	Burla, Sambalpur, (Anand Vihar).

(c) and (d) Yes, Sir. Mahanadi Coalfields Limited has already taken steps for creation of more indoor beds in Talcher and Central Hospital in IB Valley Area New OPD Complex. ICU etc. are being provided with modern diagnostic facilities. For effective management of medical emergency one full air-conditioned mobile medical clinic van has also been provided. Besides, preventive care including immunisation programme, school health programme, National Programmes like prevention of blindness, maternity health care, child welfare programmes and family welfare programme are being undertaken.

Low Quality Coal to Power Houses

1747. SHRI PARMESHWAR KUMAR AGARWALLA: Will the Minister of COAL be pleased to state:

(a) whether the attention of Government has been drawn to the news item in the Hindi daily which appeared in "Jansatta" of 25th October, 1994 regarding adverse impact of low quality coal on power houses;

(b) if so, the month-wise quantum and quality-grades of coal supplied to the Kota thermal power plant, and as accepted by the power plant authorities, during each month of 1993-94 and 1994-95, with such details as the ash content calorific value etc.;

(c) the estimated loss on account of downgrading of coal supplied to the Kota power house, during the years 1993-94 and 1994-95; and

(d) action taken or proposed to be taken against the erring officials and steps taken to insure supply of requisite quality coal to users?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF COAL (SHRI P. A. SANGMA): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) According to the information received from Coal India Limited (CIL), Kota TPS is supplied coal mainly from South Eastern Coalfields Limited, Northern Coalfields Limited and Bharat Coking Coal Limited. Company-wise quantities of coal supplies to Kota TPS during the years 1993-94 and 1994-95 (upto November, 94) are given in Statement *(See below)*.

Kota TPS have complained about poor quality of coal being received from BCCL. CIL have reported that as per the designed parameters of boilers of Kota TPS, the power house require coal of E grade having useful Heat value between 3360K. Cal. and 4200 K. Cal. per Kilogram. The Useful Heat Value of Coal supplied to Kota TPS from BCCL during 1993-94 was 3701 K. Cal./Kg. i.e. 'E' grade of coal. During the year 1994-95, 90% of the coal supplied is reported to have been analysed as Washery IV/E/F Grade *i.e.* having Useful Heat Value ranging from 3360 K. Cal. per Kg.—4200 K. Cal. per Kg. The Useful Heat Value of coal supplied from NCL and SECL range from Grade C to E with useful heat value of 3500—5000. K. Cal./Kg.

(c) CIL have reported that Kota TPS is not facing any loss on account of receipt of lower grade of coal since the power house makes payment only on the basis of the results of joint sample tests or on the basis of the results of samples drawn by the Coal Controller.

(d) Does not arise.

Statement

Coal Supplied to Kota TPS by different Companies during 1994

(Figs. in' 000 tonnes) (Data Provisional)

	SECL	CCL	NCL	BCCL
1993-94				
April, 93	67	—	77	141
May, 93	53	—	49	209
June, 93	17	—	31	183
July, 93	196	4	96	93
August, 93	143	18	89	86
September, 93	153	—	27	—

1	2	3	4	5
October, 93	180	—	65	33
November, 93	84	—	129	—
December, 93	105	—	81	—
January, 94	110	—	129	3
February, 94	85	—	130	109
March, 94	3	—	177	113
1994-95				
April, 94	40	—	96	222
May, 94	50	—	99	197
June, 94	43	—	90	160
July, 94	73	—	74	155
August, 94	100	—	24	190
September, 94	123	—	10	144
October, 94	97	—	76	152
November, 94	67	—	129	98

SOURCE : Quick Reports of Coal India Limited.

Designed Quality of Coal in Dankuni

1748. SHRI DIPANKAR MUKHERJEE :

SHRI M. A. BABY :

Will the Minister of COAL be pleased to refer to the answer to Unstarred Question No. 3490 given in the Rajya Sabha on 22nd August, 1994 and state :

(a) whether the designed quality of the coal was available;

(b) if so, whether it has been proposed to bring low phosphorous coal by transport from Talcher and Chirimiri collieries in the new action plan;

(c) whether it is a fact that ECL is supplying ROM Coal with 40% slack at the rate of 18 to 29 rakes a month which is not sufficient for operation of two retort benches at full capacity;

(d) whether this quality of coal is as per the original design envisaged for this coal complex and if so, details thereof; and if not, reasons therefor;

(e) what is the justification that insufficient gas supply by Calcutta Gas Supply is the main problem in maximisation of production in view of the report of General Manager, Dankuni Coal Complex that 1 and 2 retort benches require major maintenance and repair; and

(f) whether quality of tar from the complex is as per the designed norm and if not, the reasons therefor ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COAL (SHRI P. A. SANGMA) : (a), (c) and (d) Designed quality of coal from Raniganj Coal mines having coal handling facilities is generally being received. However, at times, coal with more fine is received whenever supplies are from mines without proper coal handling facilities.

(b) Yes, Sir.

(e) The main reason for low utilisation of the plant is due to the failure of the linked consumer, Greater Calcutta Gas Supply Corporation (GCGSC) to draw the agreed volume of gas from the plant. Some of the retorts required clearing of the clinker formation at the bottom portion which was resulting in drop in productivity. Some of the retorts have already been cleaned out and put back into the normal operation and other retorts are under the process of cleaning of clinkers.

(f) The tar produced has slightly lower specific gravity than the design and the likely reason for variation in specific gravity is due to lower temperature operation than the design profile.

Supply of coal to Tamil Nadu Electricity Board

1749. SHRI RAMACHANDRAN PILLAI :

SHRI NILOTPAL BASU :

Will the Minister of COAL be pleased to state :

(a) what are the details of coal linkage and actual supply of coal by Coal India Limited to Tamil Nadu Electricity Board (TNEB) during the last three years;

(b) what has been the average shortfall at linkage allocation of coal to Tamil Nadu Electricity Board during the above period;

(c) what is the anticipated shortfall in supply of coal to Tamil Nadu Electricity Board so far in the current year 1994-95 ; and